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## **GLORIA MOLINA CALLS GARFIELD HIGH SCHOOL VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM 'PRIDE OF EAST L.A.'**

### **Garfield Bulldogs Victorious, Earn East L.A. a CIF Title**

LOS ANGELES (January 22, 2008)—Los Angeles County Supervisor Gloria Molina congratulated the Garfield High School Varsity Football Team for earning the CIF City Section 3A Football Championship and officially honored them at today's Board of Supervisors meeting.

"These young men are the pride of East L.A.," said Sup. Molina. "They are champions and they delivered exactly the kind of news the Garfield High School community—especially the "Bulldog" alumni—needed after the devastating fire last year that destroyed the beautiful school auditorium. These young men kept their school spirit high, worked hard all summer and fall, and earned East L.A. a CIF championship title. We could not be prouder of them!"

Under the guidance and leadership of Coach Lorenzo Hernandez and Athletic Director Guillermo Gonzalez, the Garfield High School Varsity Football Team beat University High School 28-23 at the Coliseum in downtown Los Angeles on Monday, December 10, 2007 to clinch the CIF City Section 3A Football Championship.

(Images of Sup. Molina, the Garfield High School Varsity Football Team, and their coaches at today's board presentation can be viewed at **XXXXX**.)

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